

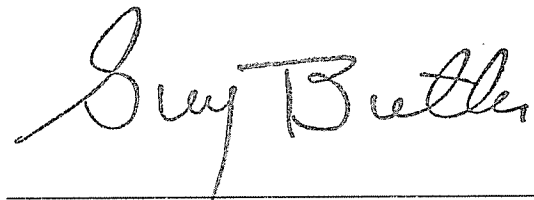
BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 97-298-C -- ORDER NO. 97-987
NOVEMBER 18, 1997

IN RE: Request for Local Calling from the) ORDER
Greeleyville Exchange into the Manning) DENYING
Exchange.) REQUEST

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the request for one-way toll free calling from the Greeleyville exchange into the Manning exchange. We ordered a ballot of subscribers from the Greeleyville/Manning area to determine how such a proposal would be received. One hundred eighteen (118) subscribers voted in favor of the proposal, and one hundred sixty-five (165) voted against it. Since the majority of subscribers have voted against the proposal, we hereby deny the request.

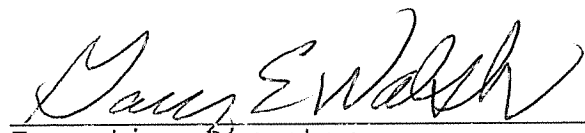
This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



Chairman

ATTEST:



Deputy Executive Director

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